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From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 3766  
Message-Id: <20050212071658.4B845403B5@srvr1.theporch.com>

### BOATANCHORS Digest 3766

Topics covered in this issue include:

- 1) RE: tube query: 6BQ5 and 6267  
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by David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
- 3) Fw: tube query: 6BQ5 and 6267  
by =?iso-8859-1?Q?Andr=E9\_Guibert?= <aguibert@sympatico.ca>
- 4) URM-25D surplus purchase, RBL-3, and bathtub caps  
by Ben Hall <kd5byb@bellsouth.net>
- 5) FS: Electric Radio August 1989  
by WA5CAB@cs.com
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- 8) Re: URM-25D surplus purchase, RBL-3, and bathtub caps  
by Scott Robinson <spr@earthlink.net>
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by ejones@hiwaay.net
- 10) 6267 & 6BQ5  
by Jderm740@aol.com
- 11) Sound effects  
by "Bill Hawkins" <bill@iaxs.net>
- 12) FS AM-494/GR  
by "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>
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by "RJ Mattson" <rjmattson@hvi.net>
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- 15) Free 547 scope for Pickup  
by "Rudolf Salomon" <rhsalomon@sbcglobal.net>
- 16) ADMINISTRIVIA: No More Reposts  
by listown@nanniandjack.com (Mail List Owner)
- 17) Rack FS  
by "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>

18) CX coming up on Sunday  
by "JAMES HANLON" <knjhanlon@msn.com>

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From: "Brian Goldsmith" <brian.goldsmith@echo1.com.au>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Cc: <richardlo@admin.athabascau.ca>  
Subject: RE: tube query: 6BQ5 and 6267  
Date: Sat, 5 Feb 2005 22:15:43 +1100  
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-----Original Message-----  
From: Al Parker

Sounds like a very plausible suspicion of a devious subterfuge.  
73,  
Al, W8UT

> my suspicious mind suggests that the  
manufacturer found a brand of tubes that were wired up this way and set  
aside a stock of these. He then designed his circuit so that customers  
would have to come back to him for replacement tubes and be charged  
accordingly.

Anyone know (or suspect) more?

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Dennis D. W7QH0  
Glendale, CA

\*\*\*\* When it comes to suspecting conspiracy or stuffup, give me stuffup every  
time!!!!!!

Brian Goldsmith.

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Message-ID: <4204D92A.8090505@ix.netcom.com>  
Date: Sat, 05 Feb 2005 08:33:14 -0600  
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: A Tip for the VRC-12 R-442 Receiver  
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed  
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You VRC folks probably know all about this,  
but I thought I'd post this tip  
for those less familiar with them.  
I recently acquired a lot of four VRC-12 R-442 receivers.  
I have no manual or information, but a friend told me  
what power pin on the single mount I got was what,  
so I put them on the bench to test them.  
At first, there was no audio out of any of them.  
I didn't believe that, so I started poking around.  
The IF deck is under the bottom cover. Two screws  
secure it and after releasing them, the deck pivots up.  
There is a switch under the deck with a large, flat  
white knob marked "X-Mode" and "Normal." All the  
receivers were set for "X-Mode." I switched them to  
"Normal" and now three out of the four are working.  
I listened to TV audio on 71.85 MC on them.  
The fourth puts out a burst of noise when turned on,  
then goes silent. Three out of four ain't bad.  
One good one and the "fixer" go to Ebay,  
two are "traders."  
I found out later that "X-Mode"  
is an old voice encryption system.

73 DE Dave S.

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Message-ID: <001001c50b94\$54312760\$0c82d1d8@oemcomputer>  
From: =?iso-8859-1?Q?Andr=E9\_Guibert?= <aguibert@sympatico.ca>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Fw: tube query: 6BQ5 and 6267  
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Any problem in connecting the way it should be and  
use a voltmeter to test the voltages of the IC pins?

Andre

----- Original Message -----

From: "Richard Loken" <richardlo@admin.athabasca.ca>

To: "Old Tube Radios" <boatanchors@theporch.com>

Sent: Friday, February 04, 2005 2:49 PM

Subject: tube query: 6BQ5 and 6267

> I must simplify the question.

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> Why do a 6BQ5 and a 6267 have a pin labelled "internal connection" and what

> is connected to them?

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Message-Id: <6.2.0.14.0.20050205100554.01df2b40@mail.earthlink.net>

Date: Sat, 05 Feb 2005 10:46:14 -0600

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

From: Ben Hall <kd5byb@bellsouth.net>

Subject: URM-25D surplus purchase, RBL-3, and bathtub caps

Mime-Version: 1.0

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Good morning fellow admirers of vacuum technology!

First of all, my thanks to all who replied to my query about the value of URM-25D signal generators. I believe I replied to all who wrote me and apologize if I missed anyone. I was the high bidder on a surplus lot consisting of ten of them in varying states of appearance. Two are new, two are slightly better than parts units, and the other six are average to good. About six of the ten have all the accessories and all ten have covers. I'm in the process of cleaning them up and checking them out mechanically and electrically and intend to sell all but one which I will keep as a backup to the one I restored back when I lived in Texas with the assistance of Dallas Lankford's rebuild notes.

On a side issue, does Mr. Lankford still frequent this list? If so, I'd love to hear from him so I can tell him that even almost ten years later, URM-25D enthusiasts such as myself are still using his notes.

After moving into our new house just about two years ago now, I'm finally getting started again on some of the projects I'd acquired back when I was living in Houston. With Dave Stinson's recent post regarding lowfer transmitters, I decided it was time to get the RBL-3 out of storage and see what I could hear with it. Before cranking it up, I decided that I should give it a good visual and ohmmeter inspection before applying power. I had

had the set working back in Houston with very little to almost no repair work needed.

Does anyone have any experiences with the RBL-3 that they'd wish to share?

The RBL-3 is full of what I believe are termed "bathtub" caps. They are housed in metal enclosures that look like bathtubs and are bolted to the chassis. My question is this - what is the general opinion on reliability of this type of capacitor? Are these often found to be leaky? Before I start de-soldering wires to do ohmmeter checks I figured I'd ask and maybe save myself some work.

thanks and 73!  
ben

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From the computer of Benjamin D. Hall, kd5byb@bellsouth.net.  
Northern Alabama, USA.

"I reject your reality and substitute my own!" -Jamie Hyneman

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com  
Message-ID: <9e.1f83d755.2f366582@cs.com>  
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For sale, ER 08/89 \$5.00 shipped or B0. Don't know how I ended up with an extra unless it was in the back issues I ordered after I subscribed in '89. New condition, no address label.

73  
Robert Downs - Houston  
<<http://www.wa5cab.com>> (Web Store)  
<wa5cab@cs.com> (Primary email)  
<wa5cab@houston.rr.com> (Backup email)

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From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Re: URM-25D surplus purchase, RBL-3, and bathtub caps  
Date: Sat, 5 Feb 2005 10:14:59 -0600  
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Ben;

> .....Before I start de-soldering wires to do ohmmeter checks I  
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save myself some work.

Bathtub caps are like most other types, some are good and some are not. But unsoldering wires to check caps with an ohmmeter is the best way to do a lot of work with not very good results other than finding grossly bad caps. For example, a cathode resistor bypass cap is never going to get leaky enough to upset tube bias, the circuit resistance is just too low and the applied voltage is virtually zero at only a few volts. On the other hand a plate blocking capacitor that couples to a following grid can create problems that a conventional ohmmeter won't detect. The simplest thing to do is remove all tubes that could possibly be harmed by capacitor leakage causing control grids to go positive from leaky coupling caps and/or screen grids and plates by losing voltage from leaky screen and B+ bypass caps. First by inspection, with a schematic preferably, identify which caps will cause damage to resistors if excessively leaky. Then apply B+ (after confirming power supply filter caps are up to the job) and look for voltage drops that give away the leaky caps. Apply Ohm's Law to determine capacitor leakage resistance (in some cases a lead here or there may need to be lifted to get a proper measurement but that is far preferable to wholesale lead lifting). A good rule of thumb is any capacitor that shows a resistance of 5000 megohms or less is suspect where leakage needs to be low. While voltage is

applied warm the capacitor with a hair dryer. Leakage will normally increase and the final hot component leakage resistance is what the receiver will experience in operation. That is your decision point, retain or replace. Finally, replace any cap you aren't comfortable gambling with.

Arden Allen  
KB6NAX

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From: listtown@nanniandjack.com (Mail List Owner)  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: ADMINISTRIVIA: Using The Archives  
Date: Sat, 5 Feb 2005 11:15:00 -0800 (PST)  
Message-Id: <20050205191500.A0AAF135C2@osr506.nanniandjack.com>

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!!!THIS INFORMATION HAS CHANGED!!!!

!!!SAVE THIS FILE FOR FUTURE REFERENCE!!!!

This periodic post is designed to help everyone gain more value from their boatanchors subscription.

Often I receive an email request, or I read on the list, of someone who is aware there is an archive available with some special files with special information that is of a more permanent nature than a post to the list, but who is unaware of how to retrieve these gems.

In the archives, there are cross-reference tables for Tubes, Military Equipment Nomenclature, suggestions for restorations and modifications to our beloved fire bottle rigs, and some wonderful stories of real adventures and the people involved.

These files may be accessed by the Web... quickly and easily.  
These files can also be accessed by email.

For WWW access:

- go to <http://www.theporch.com>
- select "Mailing List Web Interface"
- on your first time there, click "Register For Full Account"
- follow the instructions, and BE SURE you use the email address that you have your BoatAnchors mail addressed to -- this interface will work ONLY for members of the list!

Once registered, you can:

- search the archives of previous posts (so far we haven't loaded all the previous posts online, but that is in the works;
- download the index of files;

retrieve individual files  
manage your subscription via the web interface

AWESOME!

For email access:

Step One:

send an email (leave the subject blank, or, if your mailer  
requires a subject, type a single character, like "a" in  
the subject box) to:

listproc@sco.theporch.com

Step Two:

in the body type:

index boatanchors

NOTE: The index *\*includes\** all the previous articles now available  
through the web interface, so the index is HUGE and difficult  
to search -- the web interface is much easier.

Step Three:

after checking out the index for files of interest, and finding  
the one or more you want to have sent to you, send another  
email to:

listproc@sco.theporch.com

and, in the body, type:

get boatanchors file.name

where you substitute the name of the file from the index  
for "file.name"

This should get you off to a good start. If you encounter any problems,  
please let me know at the address below.

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73

Jack, W4KH/Mobile - - - Mailing List Archiver/Owner - - -

listtown@nanniandjack.com - "Plus ca change, plus c'est la meme chose"

"Il n'y a que les idiots qui ne changent jamais d'idee"

Sat Feb 5 11:15:00 PST 2005

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Date: Sat, 5 Feb 2005 16:37:05 -0800

To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>

From: Scott Robinson <spr@earthlink.net>

Subject: Re: URM-25D surplus purchase, RBL-3, and bathtub caps

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Folks,

Bathtub caps have an additional failure mode: leakage/shorts from either side to the case, which is grounded. I have seen this happen, it's not just a theoretical notion.

Regards,

Scott

>Ben;

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>Arden Allen

>KB6NAX

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To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
From: ejones@hiwaay.net  
Subject: Intervox 5DX RDF rcvr whatsis

de N4TGC Eric

I was given (thanks, Tom - I think) an Intervox model 5DX radio-DF rcvr, mfg by Radio Laboratories, Inc., of Seattle, Wash. And if this query is not a total wash, anybody heard of them?

The unit itself is cast aluminum, about an 8" cube, dark green wrinkle finish, with a 9" round, screwed-together 'clam-shell' loop mounted on a bearing on top, with aiming rods and a rotatable (tho stuck) compass rose and pointers thereto underneath. The front has three controls: "L" (a 3-posn, multi-tap wafer sw), "P" (a pot with snap sw on the back), and tuning (dual air-variable capacitor), from 275 thru 300 to 325 (I assume kc).

It's battery-powered, with one 1.5v and a dual 45v - the 1LA6 loctal converter uses 45v on the screen, while it and all five 1LN5 loctals have 90v plates. Judging from the tube numbers, the circuit is probably a conventional superhet, but with headphone-level audio from a 1LN5 into a pair of pin jacks on the front.

It looks pretty good overall, and esp. underneath - the batteries hadn't leaked (it had a wrong one bumping around inside), and the only obvious damage is that the stop-pin on the loop broke, and the wires twisted off - ouch. I can see myself having to open the loop and splice them ... bet I'd have to drill out all ten screws ...

Help?! e

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From: Jderm740@aol.com  
Message-ID: <a9.6c96058e.2f384198@aol.com>  
Date: Sun, 6 Feb 2005 22:59:20 EST  
Subject: 6267 & 6BQ5  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
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Tonight I went through the only two manuals that I have not packed. Two Sylvania's.

6BQ5 = EL84 and is a high power output. The ICs I believe are internal shields to prevent radiation to the 6267. IC terms probably should be grounded to chassis as close as possible to the socket.

6267 = EF86. Lowhouse, low microphonic tube used in the early stages of high gain amp. Base shows terminals as IS. Internal Shield. Again probably should be grounded to chassis as close as possible to the socket. Grounding both shields would help contain spurious signals and the shields would help prevent vibration from the speaker getting into the audio channels. Most of those small guitar amps were pretty self contained. Everything in one box.

I would hazard a guess the builder or designer wanted a medium gain guitar amp of about 5 watts, if he used only one 6BQ5 or about 10 to 15 watts in P-P. But for that he would need a phase inverter and I don't recall seeing anything about that in the posting.

Jack KB1IJP

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From: "Bill Hawkins" <bill@iaxs.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Sound effects  
Date: Mon, 7 Feb 2005 02:34:48 -0600  
Message-ID: <024601c50cef\$e2a04b00\$0500a8c0@darius.domain.actdsltmp>  
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Relaxed before the game listening to Bach's English Suites for piano while wearing headphones. I became aware that the piano was centered in front of me. This was odd because I lost most of the hearing in my left ear seven years ago. As I thought about the incongruity, the piano began moving to the right. I quit thinking about it and just enjoyed the music.

We have, from time to time, derided the audiophool for the way he describes sound and the impossible changes in the sound brought about by special line cords and silver wire.

It seems to me that hearing is more than the simple physical process that we take it to be. Psychology is also involved. By observation, most of us live in a mixture of reality and fantasy. Some fantasy makes us feel good. A shared fantasy can bind a group together. So why not a shared fantasy that certain components improve sound. The more expensive the better the sound. We'd have to know a lot more about human nature in order to understand what's happening. Actually, I think that advertisers do know enough to create fantasies.

So if I can remember this, in the future I will not make fun of audiophiles, any more than I'd make fun of someone's religion.

Keep those tubes warm, and think about those waves travelling through the ether.

Bill Hawkins

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Message-ID: <009601c50d4f\$36117b60\$6401a8c0@wa3bzt>  
From: "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: FS AM-494/GR  
Date: Mon, 7 Feb 2005 14:57:10 -0500  
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Hi gang:

I have a AM-494/GR & PP-638U with manual for sale \$200. this unit is in new condition and has only some scrapes to the equipment cabinet CY-122/G all you need to do is connect to a 120 VAC a drive source and you have

transmitter of 50 watts and you are up and running.  
This unit needs to be picked up in Delaware as the cost for shipping the  
heavy unit will be more than the asking price.  
I would love to give it a good home.  
Ed  
WA3BZT  
Delaware

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Message-ID: <11d901c50d89\$74b24d10\$bfb90642@Laptop>  
From: "RJ Mattson" <rjmattson@hvi.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Wanted: Panel meters  
Date: Mon, 7 Feb 2005 21:54:05 -0500  
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I need a few panel meters to restore a transmitter.  
Picture: <http://www.hvinet.com/rjmattson/meters>  
Triplet Type #326  
Westinghouse Type 0X-33

I would prefer 0-1, 0-10, 0-50 and 0-100MA ranges but will consider any other.

Bob...w2ami=

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To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Date: Tue, 8 Feb 2005 15:23:16 -0500  
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Subject: FS: Collection of 10 Boatanchor Receivers (Drake, National, Hammarlund, Scott, RME)

I'm out of room, and so I'm offering a collection of ten receivers for sale, including:

National HRO-60 with 4 coils

National NC-183

National NC-200

National NC-100 parts set

National NC-88

Hammarlund HQ-170A

Scott RBO-2 with cabinet

RME-45 & matching speaker

Drake 2B with 2BQ speaker/Q-multiplier

All of these are in decent condition, but they are unrestored, and need cleaned up and electronically restored. The grey Nationals are scratched up a bit, as is commonly found. Most of these power up, but I've not checked them further. They may be missing the occasional knob, etc.

I bought these from estate sales or hamfests with an eye towards restoring them myself, but that's not going to happen for at least the next twenty years. :)

These are available for pickup in NW Ohio; I won't ship them. I can deliver them to the Maumee, Ohio Hamfest in March, or to the Dayton Hamvention in May.

I'll sell the whole bunch for \$750. Reply to radionicist@gmail.com.

Thanks!

Tony

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Message-ID: <002701c50e24\$9ec37bb0\$0801a497@rudolf>  
From: "Rudolf Salomon" <rhsalomon@sbcglobal.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Free 547 scope for PickUp  
Date: Tue, 8 Feb 2005 21:24:48 -0000  
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Have a 547 scope along with 3 plug ins with a manual for the scope & one of the plug ins.  
(CA, L & 1A4) Scope & Plug ins work.

FREE for pickup ONLY in Simi Valley, CA.

73 de Rudolf Salomon KD6NRQ

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From: listtown@nanniandjack.com (Mail List Owner)  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: ADMINISTRIVIA: No More Reposts  
Date: Wed, 9 Feb 2005 11:15:00 -0800 (PST)  
Message-Id: <20050209191500.138661316B@osr506.nanniandjack.com>

Gang-

This is a reminder that reposting of For Sale or Wanted items from other internet sources (lists and auctions) is discouraged....  
may prohibited on the BoatAnchors list.

If a BA list member wants to post the item elsewhere and on the BA list, that creates NO problem. What we are trying to avoid are "seen on EBay" or "prime rig on xxx list" type posts... Very few BA members limit their

searching to just the BA list!

The problem comes when the poster in the other venue is not asked about the re-post... without the permission of the poster, problems are guaranteed, and I do not have the time, the energy, or the desire to address and deal with the headaches that re-posting causes... I'll grant you that folks in other venues need to be re-calibrated, but I do NOT want to referee! ;^)

So, henceforth, let's have NO re-posts from other sources referred to the list. Yes, I know this may sound pretty provincial, but those who really care have browsers and know where to look, and those who don't, probably don't....

I do NOT need the aggravation of someone who posts to a newsgroup and then has to fight off the hungry folks from the BA list who want to rearrange his viewpoint or calibrate his selling technique.

ENOUGH! Already... Just don't do it!

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73

Jack, W4KH/Mobile - - - Mailing List Archiver/Owner - - -  
listown@nanniandjack.com - "Plus ca change, plus c'est la meme chose"  
"Il n'y a que les idiots qui ne changent jamais d'idee"  
Wed Feb 9 11:15:00 PST 2005

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Message-ID: <00f201c50ee2\$843f35e0\$6401a8c0@wa3bzt>  
From: "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Subject: Rack FS  
Date: Wed, 9 Feb 2005 15:04:08 -0500  
MIME-Version: 1.0  
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format=flowed;  
charset="iso-8859-1";  
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Hi Gang:

I have a nice sturdy rack with large wheels cooling fan In the back below the door, with a ckt breaker switch in the front sides. Opening in the front standard rack size. the sides are all part of the solid rack enclosure with a door in the back. The rack was made for NASA by Motorola and is painted NASA green. there are some scrapes on the rack but other than that it is in great shape.

This rack will make a great amp cabinet for a HV supply and at least two

amps or moor could go inside. Great to Keep the RF out of the shack.  
Rack outer measurements are. Height 66 inches, depth 28 inches, width 24  
inches opening in front 18 x 51 inches. All solid aluminum.  
Looking for \$50 or trade for something?  
Pick-up will be in Delaware Bring pick-up Truck.  
If no takers off to scrap for the Aluminum what a loss  
Ed  
WA3BZT

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Message-ID: <BAY4-DAV2EAE7DD275DB14A31B159A0750@phx.gbl>  
From: "JAMES HANLON" <knjhanlon@msn.com>  
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>  
Cc: "John MacAulay" <jmac6235@yahoo.com>  
Subject: CX coming up on Sunday  
Date: Wed, 9 Feb 2005 14:41:45 -0700  
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Anchorites,

The February 2005 Classic Exchange is coming up next Sunday, February 13.  
It will run from 1400 Z February 13 to 0800 Z February 14 (9 am EST Sunday  
to 3 am EST Monday). The usual details on frequencies, exchanges, scoring,  
and reporting have run in QST's Contest Corral, ER, and the other high class  
magazines (grin), and you can also find them at the CX website,  
<http://qsl.asti.com/CX/> .

Y'all come, get those tubes glowing, and have a good time!

Jim, W8KGI, for Mac, WQ8U

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